

GOVERNOR SAYS WILLING HIS DAUGHTER SHOULD MARRY A JAPANESE

PROVIDED YOUNG LADY HERSELF BE WILLING

CHIEF EXECUTIVE DWELLS AT SOME LENGTH UPON THE JAPANESE SITUATION—HAS NOT FULLY MADE UP HIS MIND WHAT THE CAUSES OR THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE PROPOSED IMMIGRATION CHANGES ARE.

"I am perfectly willing that my daughter should marry a Japanese," said Governor George R. Carter this morning, during the course of an interview with the press representatives over the Japanese immigration situation. "That is," suggested Secretary Atkinson, who was also present, "if the young lady were willing."

"Yes," replied the Governor, "if she were willing."

"I do not hold," continued the Governor, "any of this race prejudice against the Japanese that is frequently expressed. In fact I have always favored allowing the Japanese to be naturalized and given the right to become American citizens. I have known of cases where Japanese have been married to white women and have made better husbands than many white men. I consider that it is right and just that we should give this right to the Japanese to become American citizens. I know that it is argued that they will not assimilate with the white people, but have they ever been given a chance to assimilate? The emigration of a large number of Italians to America did not result in the Italians failing to assimilate, nor has the presence of Irish, that the Irish have not been assimilated? How can we

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To Duck Congress On Interpreter

SCHEME OF THE SOLONS TO STEER CLEAR OF THE \$30,000 APPROPRIATION CONDITIONS.

With the time for the opening of the legislature less than forty-eight hours off, the probable organization of the two houses assumes an additional interest.

In the House, it seems settled that H. L. Holstein is to be the Speaker. For clerk there are four active candidates, John H. Wise, Nagaran Fernandez, Ed. Woodward, and A. St. C. Pinalana.

For sergeant-at-arms the candidates are E. K. Lilikalani, a former member of the House, and Henry Kawewehi of Hawaii. Perhaps also there are some others.

In the Senate E. F. Bishop is slated for President, and William Savidge for Clerk. For sergeant-at-arms there are four candidates: John Lot Kaulukou, now of Hilo, who was speaker of the House of Representatives in the legislature of 1898, Charles Clark, one of the two Charles of the politics of few years ago; Frank Godfrey and Isaac Cockett. It is said that Charles Clark is morally certain of the position.

A curious situation has developed regarding interpreter. There are no avowed candidates for the position in either house. The \$30,000 congressional appropriation for legislative expenses does not mention interpreter, and so many of the native members, especially, are wary of touching it, at least under that name.

It has been tacitly agreed therefore, in order to get around this that the Assistant Secretary of the House and the Assistant clerk of the Senate shall do the interpreting. In the Senate, the active candidates for assistant clerk are Bernard Kelekolio and Norman Ly-

AOKI CASE POSTPONED

THE CHANCE FOR FAME THAT WAS THRUST ON HIM LIABLE TO BE SNATCHED AWAY.

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., February 18.—The Aoki case has been postponed until March 4. Aoki is the boy whose name is given to the case.

Principal M. A. Dean of the Redding School, San Francisco, on Thursday, January 17, refused to admit the Japanese boy Aoki. Writ of mandate was served on her by the attorneys for the United States Government. Both the Board of Education and Miss Dean were served with writs of mandate and also writs in equity and the documents were filed in the Supreme Court of California and in the United States Circuit Court. The petition which prompted the order of the court was in the name of Michitsugu Aoki, father of the child whose name appears in the order. Supplementary to the petition was the written request of the United

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man. In the House, the fight for this position seems to take on a peculiar combination. Fernandez, Pinalana and Woodward are all fighting for the Secretaryship, but with the understanding if either of them gets it, the other two are to be his assistants. They are thus each fighting for himself, but all combining against Wise.

Candidates for the minor offices are numerous enough but the selection will so largely depend on the result for the more important offices that the candidates for door-keeper and janitor, and that sort of thing have scarcely as yet become differentiated from the general mass of job hunting protozoa.

IMMIGRATION BILL IS NOW A LAW

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

WASHINGTON, February 18.—The House today by a vote of 197 to 161 passed the Immigration exclusion bill which will stop Japanese coolies from going from Hawaii to the mainland. This bill passed the Senate on Saturday.

MT. ETNA CASTRO IS ACTIVE DYING

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) ROME, February 18.—Mt. Etna is threatening an eruption.

RUEF SAYS HE IS NOT GUILTY THAW'S TRIAL IS RESUMED

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., February 18.—Abe Ruef has pleaded not guilty to five indictments, alleging extortion of money.

Japanese Are Not Excluded

PASSPORTS WILL REGULATE LABORERS GOING TO AMERICAN MAINLAND.

Recent press cables from Washington relative to the passage of the immigration bill have given rise to many questions here among thinking people. First impressions were that Japanese coolies were by the new law perhaps forbidden to enter the United States from Hawaii and the Philippines, but it is the maturer interpretation of men in constant touch with such matters that there is no exclusion whatever contemplated in the bill.

Japanese who have come to Hawaii, it is believed, on passports issued at home and for Hawaii only, will not be allowed to land on the United States mainland on such passports; they must bear passports reading to the United States mainland or perhaps it may be arranged that passports to Hawaii only may be issued by Japan's representative here and the bearers allowed to pass on to America proper, in either of which events the Japanese government would control the laborers going to the States by reason of the passport power, the United States-Japan treaty, which is probably followed in the new bill passed by Congress, regulating the power that wields the passport.

VALUABLE PURCHASE

The old sailors home property corner of Bethel and Merchants streets, was sold today by the Superintendent of Public Works. The upset price was \$28,000 and Bert Peterson, acting for H. J. Johnston, secured the place for \$28,601.

Manuel Correa was in police court this morning fined \$5 and costs for profanity. Four drunks were each taxed \$3 and costs.

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FOLLOWING OUT JAPAN TREATY

REGULATION OF IMMIGRATION OF LABOR TO THE UNITED STATES CONTEMPLATED BY INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENT OF 1894—NEW LAW MAY MEAN MERELY CHANGES IN JAPAN'S PASSPORT SYSTEM—OPINIONS OF PROMINENT MEN.

"In the treaty between Japan and the United States which was made in 1894," said Hon. W. O. Smith, Secretary of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association, this morning, "Articles 1 and 2 provide for what is called the most favored nation clause and matters relating to the rights of citizens or subjects of the two nations in their enjoyment of privileges in one country or the other, and Article 2 concludes. It is, however, understood that the stipulations contained in this and in the preceding Article do not in any way from Japan to Hawaii will not permit affect the laws, ordinances and regulations in regard to trade, the immigration of laborers, police and public service which are in force or which may be enacted by the Japanese Consul here. It hereafter be enacted in either of the two countries."

"I imagine that if legislation is being enacted by Congress, as indicated in the published dispatches, it will be under the provision of the treaty."

"This provision would seem to have contemplated the possibility of the immigration of laborers being regulated. Further than this I do not think of any suggestion or explanation to make. It is of course obvious to anyone

that the coming of Japanese to these islands has been a benefit to the islands and to the Japanese who have come here, and if the legislation which has been intimated is enacted the Japanese would still be able to come to these islands."

President E. D. Tenney of the Planters' Association said this morning: "It would seem that the difference between conditions as they were and as they will be under the immigration law just enacted, if the cable dispatches are correct, will be merely that passports preceding Article do not in any way from Japan to Hawaii will not permit affect the laws, ordinances and regulations in regard to trade, the immigration of laborers, police and public service which are in force or which may be enacted by the Japanese Consul here. It hereafter be enacted in either of the two countries."

No private Washington advices have been received which would give further information concerning the bill.

Letters Not To Be Made Public Japanese Are Not Surprised

SAYS THAT THINGS HAVE CHANGED NOW AND HE WILL NOT MAKE THEM PUBLIC. RECOGNIZE THAT THE PASSAGE OF THE LAW IS BEST FOR THEIR INTERESTS.

Governor Carter declines to make public the letters that he sent to President Roosevelt in the Lanai matter. Following the somewhat hurried consummation of the transfer of the government's 47,899 acres on Lanai for four small pieces of land in and about Honolulu on February 1, the Governor made public a letter that he had received from the President, approving of the exchange, a letter that indicated that the Governor had written an explanation of the proposed exchange and represented that the deal should be made.

The Governor expressed himself, following the consummation of the deal, as seeing no reason why the letters sent by him to the President on the Lanai matter should not be made public. But he has changed his mind. This morning the Governor said:

"I stated that I saw no reason why letters to the President in regard to this Lanai matter should not be made public, but since then things have changed and I do not intend to give them out. The other side has carried this Lanai matter to such an extent that I do not propose to publish those letters. They have attempted to make political capital out of this, by trying to involve me with the President over the matter, and I see no reason why I should make the letters public."

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